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GROUP ART UNIT: 2171****RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION****MAILED APRIL 16, 2003****PLEASE DELIVER DIRECTLY TO****EXAMINER CINDY NGUYEN**

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## PATENT APPLICATION

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Group Art Unit: 2171

Title: Method and Apparatus for Providing File System Access to a Disk Array

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Respectfully submitted,

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